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Re Application: John M. Smith, III et al.

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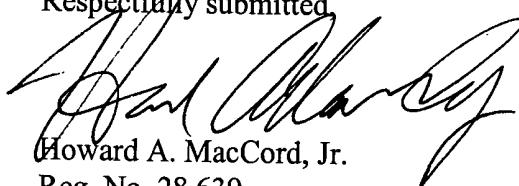
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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56, counsel wishes to make of record the attached items of information for the Examiner's consideration in connection with this application. Also enclosed is a form PTO-1449 for the Examiner's convenience in making such consideration of record. Inclusion herein of any particular item of information is not to be construed as an admission that same is prior art.

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Respectfully submitted

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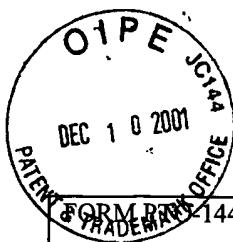
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	R	5,565,265	10/96	Rubin et al.	428	265	
	S	5,567,400	10/96	Mudge et al.	252	8.62	
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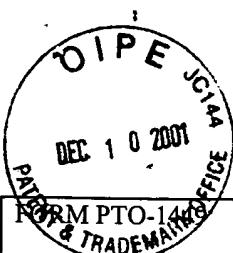
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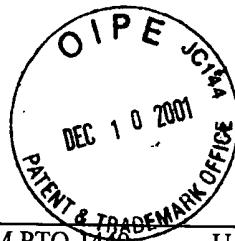
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EE	Silicon Damp-Course; information from the internet; undated
FF	Silquest A-2171 silane; information from the internet; undated
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HH	Egis Environments Material Safety Data Sheet; information from the internet, undated
II	An Organosilicon Chemistry Primer from Gelest, Inc. , undated

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